

GOD looked around the garden,
And found an empty space.
He looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face. He put

And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful
For He only takes the BFST.

He knew that you were weary,

and He knew that you were in pain.

He knew that you would never be well on earth again.

He saw the roads were getting rough, and the hills were hard to climb.

So He closed your weary eyelids, and whispered whispered.

Peace be

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

## Janice Jeanne Johnson

WHO WAS BORN
April 5, 1931
Big Stone County, Minnesota

AND CALLED TO HER ETERNAL HOME April 29, 2023 Milbank, South Dakota

> FUNERAL SERVICE Saturday, May 6, 2023 - 10:00 a.m. Mundwiler Funeral Home Chapel Milbank, South Dakota

> > OFFICIANT Reverend Melanie Reiners

MUSICIANS Kristy Tostenson, Pianist Bryon Dahle, Vocalist

CASKET BEARERS
Anthony Dahle | Jeremy Johnson | Jeffery Haufschild
Alexis Gonzalez | Jordan Gonzalez | Darian Dahle

HONORARY BEARERS
Grant County VFW Post 3486 Ladies Auxiliary
Caregivers at Wellshire Park Place and Avantara - Milbank
All of her friends and family

INTERMENT Milbank Cemetery Milbank, South Dakota

## **APPRECIATION**

Janice's family is grateful for your attendance at this service. Your many expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated.

Mundwiler Funeral Home - Milbank, South Dakota

anice Jeanne (Johannsen) Johnson was born April 5, 1931, in Big Stone County, MN. She was the daughter of Edward and Mary (Sorenson) Johannsen. She grew up in Wilmot, SD. She was confirmed at Wilmot Lutheran Church. She graduated from Wilmot High School.

She earned a Teaching Certificate from Northern State College in Aberdeen, SD. Janice taught elementary school in rural South Dakota near Wilmot for several years.

She was united in marriage with Gordon E. Johnson on June 28, 1950, in Milbank, SD. Janice and Gordon had two children: Patricia and John. They lived in rural Roberts County, SD, until 1963, when they moved to Milbank. After moving to Milbank, Janice worked at Milbank Insurance/Royal Insurance for over 20 years prior to retiring. Janice was a member of the Grant County VFW Post 3486 Ladies Auxiliary for 51 years.

Janice enjoyed gardening and flowers, cooking, reading, and spending time with her grandkids.

Left to cherish her memory are her daughter, Patricia (Allen) Dahle of Watertown, SD; daughter-in-law, Brenda Holtquist of Milbank, SD; half-sister, Darva Rye of Gillette, WY; seven grandchildren: Bryon, Angie, Janelle, Tony, Shannen, Jeremy, and Dustin; 20 great-grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Janice leaves us to be with the Lord; her parents; son, John; husband, Gordon; and her sister, Rita.

